

Transportation Committee Minutes

Thursday, May 9th, 2019 8:30 AM – 10:15 AM

Wicker Park Bucktown Chamber of Commerce – 1414 N. Ashland Ave.

In attendance: John Hall (Committee Chair), John Paige (Voting member), Lindsay Bayley (Voting member), Mary Tamminga (Voting member), David Ginopole (SSA Commissioner)

Staff: Alice Howe (Program Specialist), Garrett Karp (Program Manager)

1. Wayfinding

- a. The committee reviewed Thirst's maps for the wayfinding kiosks to be installed at 4 locations this summer
- b. Edits and changes will be submitted to Thirst

2. Bikes

- a. Bike pumps are now installed at 3 locations near CTA Blue Line stops
- b. Staff will be placing an order of Bike Racks (allocated earlier in the year)
 - i. The committee would like to keep the same WPB Rides bike rack design for this order
 - ii. Staff will look into pricing for ordering a larger quantity of unbranded, orange racks

3. Benches

- a. DG will stop by Why Not Iron's office to confirm whether or not we have branded benches in storage

4. Milwaukee Ave. Planters

- a. The first round of new order planters will be installed tomorrow morning by Doty & Sons
- b. Weather permitting, the remaining planters will be installed early next week
- c. Brightview will be planting spring arrangements in them shortly after
- d. The committee has decided to take planter wraps off of the agenda and continue using power washing/paint to maintain them

5. Planters for other areas

- a. AH will bring Doty & Sons planter options to the next Polish Triangle Coalition meeting this month for the board to review

6. People Spaces at Wood & Hermitage stub streets

- a. JH presented alternative ideas to strung lights such as umbrellas
- b. The staff will present these photos to Illuminight and get quotes

7. Public Air Quality Sensors

- a. JH presented info on "Purple Air" sensor
- b. This could potentially be installed at the Chamber office as a trial run
- c. Staff will research this sensor and see how it connects to the cloud

Next meeting on June 13th